## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS EASTERN DIVISION

BARILLA G. E R. FRATELLI-SOCIETA PER AZIONI AND BARILLA AMERICA, INC.,

No. 08 CV 02252

Plaintiff,

Judge Wayne R. Anderson Magistrate Judge Morton Denlow

v.

AMERICAN ITALIAN PASTA COMPANY,

Defendant.

## **STATUS REPORT**

Plaintiffs Barilla G. E R. Fratelli-Societa Per Azioni and Barilla America, Inc. (collectively "Barilla"), appearing through its counsel of record, advises the Court as to the following:

- 1. Barilla filed and served their complaint against AIPC on or about April 21, 2008.
- 2. In light of ongoing settlement discussions, counsel for AIPC asked for additional time to file its appearance and to respond to Barilla's complaint.
- 3. On July 21, 2008, this Court granted an Agreed Motion for Extension of Time to Appear and Respond.
- 4. Accordingly, AIPC has up to and including September 2, 2008 to appear and respond to Barilla's complaint.

Respectfully submitted,

## BARILLA G. E R. FRATELLI-SOCIETA PER AZIONI AND BARILLA AMERICA, INC.,

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